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RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS, 1973 REVISED EDITION, SAFETY
SERIES NO. 6.

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1. MISSION REQUESTED ADVISE IAEA OF FOLLOWING U.S.
COMMENTS AS REQUESTED REFTEL: QUOTE 1973 REVISED IAEA
REGULATIONS HAVE NOT YET BEEN INCORPORATED INTO TRANSPORT
REGULATIONS OF U.S.A. JOINT RULEMAKING ACTIONS TO AMEND
REGULATIONS OF U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND U.S.
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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION ARE ANTICIPATED BY END
OF 1978. THOSE ACTIONS ARE INTENDED TO ALSO INCORPORATE
AMENDED VERSION OF 1973 IAEA REGULATIONS. DIFFICULTIES
AND DELAY IN INCORPORATING PROVISIONS OF IAEA REGULA-
TIONS HAVE BEEN DUE TO INTERNAL REGULATORY PROCESSES
AND THE NECESSITY FOR A COORDINATED JOINT ACTION BY
THE TWO AGENCIES.

2. REGARDING THE AMENDED 1973 IAEA REGULATIONS, I.E.
THE 90 DAY AMENDMENTS, AGENCY SHOULD BE REMINDED THAT
6/30/77 U.S. RESPONSE TO IAEA LETTER OF 3/31/77
RECOMMENDED THAT THE FOREWORD TO REPRINTED EDITION SHOULD
ENCOURAGE MEMBER STATES AND TRANSPORT ORGANIZATIONS

TO ALLOW FOR OPTIONAL USAGE OF EITHER THE OLD OR NEW
WARNING LABELS DURING AT LEAST AN 18-MONTH TRANSITION
PERIOD. AGENCY'S DECEMBER 16 LETTER TRANSMITTING THE
90-DAY CHANGES FAILED TO MENTION THIS VERY IMPORTANT
ASPECT UNQUOTE. VANCE

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